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MATERIALS DIVISION MONTHLY REPORT

November 1958

BRANCH: Chemicals

I. Accomplishments

A. Scheduled Projects Completed and Forwarded

Project No. 30.1826, NIS - USSR, Section 64, Manufacturing and Construction - M/CH contribution to the Subsection dealing with Fibers, Fabrics, and Rubber completed and forwarded to I/MS.

B. Support Projects

Project No. 00.2438, "Evaluation of the Soviet Seven-Year Plan Announcement" - M/CH contribution prepared for St/CS.

Project No. 00.2416, "Gaps in Information Requirements" prepared on Rumanian Chemical Industry and forwarded through channels to St/I/R.

C. Other Support Activities

OCI Periodic Requirements Lists for (1) USSR and Soviet Bloc and (2) European Satellites and Yugoslavia - M/CH contributions completed and forwarded to St/I.

Evaluations for the DD/P - 3.

II. Program

Project No. 22.1914, "Postwar Development of the Chemical Industry of Poland" - M/CH request for cancellation of this project, a carryover from the FY'1958 research program, was approved by Acting Chief, ERA.

III. Administration

- A. Personnel No changes.
- B. Branch Structure No changes.
- C. Training

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- Completed O/TR Course in "Effective Writing". Also completed the one-week "Weapons Orientation-Advanced Course" given by the Armed Forces Special Weapons Project at Sandia Base, Alburquerque, New Mexico.

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- Continued O/TR before-hours Course, "Russian 101." Also completed O/TR Course entitled "Intelligence Research Techniques."

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- Continued O/TR Course in "Basic Chinese Language."

D. Trips, Conventions, Professional Meetings, etc. - None.

IV. Comments - None.

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